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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION) OF SOUTHWESTERN BELL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC., DBA SBC LONG DISTANCE FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE FACILITIES-BASED INTEREXCHANGE SERVICES IN THE STATE OF ARIZONA AND PETITION FOR COMPETITIVE CLASSIFICATION OF PROPOSED SERVICES.

DOCKET NO. T-03346A-04-0413

SBC LONG DISTANCE'S MOTION TO ALLOW ITS WITNESS TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY FOR THE **HEARING**

Southwestern Bell Communications Services, Inc., d/b/a SBC Long Distance, through its undersigned counsel, hereby requests an Order allowing its witness Norman W. Descoteaux to appear telephonically for the hearing on February 15, 2005.

In support of this Motion, SBC Long Distance states that Mr. Descoteaux' office is in Pleasanton, California, and it would save considerable time and expense if he could appear telephonically for the hearing. Counsel for SBC Long Distance has spoken with Staff Counsel, and Staff has no objection to Mr. Descoteaux appearing telephonically. Counsel for SBC Long Distance has been informed that these types of requests are routinely granted where the witness resides outside of Arizona. Indeed, in Docket No. T-03346A-03-0844, in a similar case and proceeding, SBC Long Distance filed a Motion to Allow Mr. Descoteaux and it was granted by

the Administrative Law Judge. For all these reasons, SBC Long Distance respectfully requests 1 that Mr. Descoteaux be allowed to appear telephonically for the hearing. 2 DATED this 1st day of December, 2004. 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 ORIGINAL and THIRTEEN COPIES 13 of the foregoing filed this 1st day of December, 2004 with: 14 **Docket Control Center** 15 Arizona Corporation Commission 16 1200 West Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007 17 COPY of the foregoing hand-delivered 18 this 1st day of December, 2004, to: 19 Lyn Farmer, Chief Administrative Law Judge Amanda Pope, Administrative Law Judge 20 Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington Street 21 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 22 Chris Kempley, Chief Counsel 23 Janet Wagner, Counsel Legal Division

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